GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:519
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KASHIR CHANNEL
Shaheen Shri Abdul Rashid

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) the total grants allocated to Kashir Channel for telecasting the programmes during each of the last three years:

(b) the actual expenditure incurred for such programmes during the said period;

(c) whether almost all the artists and skilled workers in film making and dependent on Kashir Channel are languishing without any work, at Srinagar; and

(d) if so, the steps taken/proposed to be taken to provide adequate funds to the Kashir Channel?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION & BROADCASTING AND CULTURE (SHRI S. JAIPAL REDDY)

(a) & (b) : Prasar Bharati have furnished the following details:-

(Rs. In Crores)

Year	Amount allocated	Expenditure incurred
2002-03	26.15	18.68
2003-04	32.02	33.52
2004-05	25.58	14.29 (upto Jan`05)

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.